

IV. AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A gaming machine comprising:
~~internal lottery means configured to determine an internal lottery of a game with~~
~~a random number at a predetermined timing;~~
a cabinet
~~display means a display device provided in the cabinet and configured to~~
display an effect image pertinent to the game;
~~display control means configured to control the display means; and~~
a part provided in the gaming machine; and
~~attachment means an attachment device configured to attach the display~~
~~control means part on a the cabinet of the gaming machine,~~
wherein the attachment device includes:
a hook provided on one of the part and the cabinet, the hook configured
to attach the part on the cabinet; and
a hook hole extending vertically and formed on a remaining one of the
part and the cabinet,
wherein the part is hooked at an upper end of the cabinet with the hook and the
hook hole to be displaceable in an upward direction, and
wherein the part is fixed onto the cabinet at a pre-determined portion.

2. (Canceled)

3. (Canceled)

4. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 1, wherein the attachment device includes a projection that defines the hook hole, the hook being sized and adapted to be received in the hook hole in a manner so that the hook and the projection contact each other to vertically support the display device.

5. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 4, further comprising a display control device and wherein the attachment device includes a threaded screw and wherein the display control device includes a screw hole such that when the attachment device attaches the display control device on the cabinet, the screw extends into and through the screw hole and is threadably engaged with the cabinet thereby pressing at least a portion of the display control device against the cabinet.

6. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 1, wherein the cabinet includes a door,

wherein the part includes a display control device configured to control the display device, the display control device including a flat display control board, and wherein the display control device and the display device are provided on the door.

7. (New) A gaming machine comprising:
a cabinet;
internal lottery means;
display means configured to display an effect image pertinent to the game;
display control means configured to control the display means; and
attachment means configured to attach the display control means on the cabinet of the gaming machine,
characterized in that
the internal lottery means is configured to determine an internal lottery of a game with a random number at a predetermined timing, and
the attachment means comprises: a hook provided on one of a pair of the display control means and the cabinet; and
a hook hole formed on the other one of the pair of the display control means and the cabinet.

8. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 7, wherein the display control means is hooked at an upper end of the cabinet with the hook and the hook hole, and

wherein the display control means is fixed onto the cabinet at a predetermined portion.

9. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 8, wherein the predetermined portion is positioned above the hook and the hook hole .

10. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 8, wherein the predetermined portion comprises a pair of portions,

wherein the hook and the hook hole comprises a pair of hooks and a pair of hook holes, respectively, and

a spacing between the pair of portions is set larger than a spacing between the pair of hooks and between the pair of hook holes.

11. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 7, wherein the cabinet comprises a door,

wherein the attachment means attaches the display control means on a backside surface of the door.

12. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 7, wherein the display control means comprises: a display control board on which a control circuit for controlling the display means is formed; and a case attached to one surface of the display control board for covering the control circuit, and

wherein the attachment means attaches the display control means to the cabinet at the other surface of the display control board.

13. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 7, wherein the display means comprises a variable display means for variably displaying a plurality of symbols, and

wherein the gaming machine further comprises:

stop control means configured such that the variable display of the variable display means can be stopped based on the determination result of the internal winning combination determination means; and

game medium payout means configured such that a game medium can be paid out to a player in a case where a stop state of the variable display means stopped by the stop control means corresponds to a predetermined stop state.

14. (New) The gaming machine as claimed in claim 13 further comprising a plurality of operation means with which the player stops the variable display,

wherein the stop control means is configured such that the variable display can be stopped based on the determination result of the internal winning combination determination means and on a stop operation of each of the operation means.